

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

JUDGMENT IN A CRIMINAL CASE

V.

CASE Number: 06-50050-01

USM Number:

Elizabeth Edwards
(Name of Defendant)

Betty Marak
(Defendant's Attorney)

THE DEFENDANT:

- ☒ **Pleaded guilty to count(s)** ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR, FIVE and SIX
☐ pleaded nolo contendere to count(s) _____ which was accepted by the court.
☐ Was found guilty on count(s) _____ after a plea of not guilty.

Accordingly, the court has adjudicated that the defendant is guilty of the following offenses:

<u>Title & Section</u>	<u>Nature of Offense</u>	<u>Date Offense Concluded</u>	<u>Count Number(s)</u>
18 USC 1012	FALSE STATEMENTS TO HUD	02-28-02	ONE
18 USC 1012	FALSE STATEMENTS TO HUD	05-02-02	TWO
18 USC 1012	FALSE STATEMENTS TO HUD	11-20-02	THREE
18 USC 1012	FALSE STATEMENTS TO HUD	11-27-03	FOUR
18 USC 1012	FALSE STATEMENTS TO HUD	04-11-04	FIVE
18 USC 1012	FALSE STATEMENTS TO HUD	08-31-04	SIX

The defendant is sentenced as provided in pages 2 through 4 of this judgment. The sentence is imposed pursuant to the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984.

- ☐ The defendant has been found not guilty on count(s) _____.
☐ Count(s) __ (is) (are) dismissed on motion of the United States.

IT IS ORDERED that the defendant must notify the United States Attorney for this district within 30 days of any change of name, residence, or mailing address until all fines, restitution, costs, and special assessments imposed by this judgment are fully paid. If ordered to pay restitution, the defendant must notify the court and United States Attorney of any material change in the defendant's economic circumstances.

August 29, 2006

Date of Imposition of Judgment

Mark L. Hornsby, United States Magistrate Judge

Name and Title of Judicial Officer

August 29, 2006

Date Signed



MARK L. HORNSBY
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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IMPRISONMENT

The defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the United States Bureau of Prisons to be imprisoned for a total term of:

As to Count One , defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the Bureau of Prisons for a term of twelve (12) months.

As to Counts Two through Six, the defendant is committed to the custody of the Bureau of Prisons for three (3) months as to each count. Counts Two through Six are to run concurrently with each other and consecutively to Count One, for a total of fifteen (15) months.

☐ The Court makes the following recommendations to the Bureau of Prisons:

☐ The defendant is remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal.

☐ The defendant shall surrender to the United States Marshal for this district.

☐ at __ a.m./p.m. on __.

☐ as notified by the United States Marshal.

☒ **The defendant shall surrender for service of sentence at the institution designated by the Bureau of Prisons.**

☒ **before 2:00 p.m. on Monday, October 16, 2006.**

☐ as notified by the United States Marshal.

☐ as notified by the Probation or Pretrial Services Office.

RETURN

I have executed this judgment as follows:

Defendant delivered on _____ to _____

at _____, with a certified copy of this judgment.

United States Marshal

by _____
Deputy Marshal

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SUPERVISED RELEASE

Upon release from imprisonment, the defendant shall be on supervised release for a term of:

One Year Supervised Release, with the following special conditions:

1. Restitution in the amount of \$11,922 is ordered, to be paid to the following victim:

United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)
C/O: Housing Authority of City of Shreveport
2500 Line Ave., Shreveport, LA 71104
RE: Elizabeth Edwards
2. Based on the defendant's financial condition, the Court finds the defendant does not have the ability to pay interest or penalties. Accordingly, the Court will waive the interest and penalty requirement in this case. The Court also waives the fine considering the amount of restitution due in this case.
3. The defendant shall make restitution payments from any wages earned while in prison, in accordance with the Bureau of Prisons Financial Responsibility Program. Any portion of the restitution that is not paid in full at the time of the defendant's release from imprisonment shall become a condition of her supervised release.
4. The Court orders that any federal income tax refund payable to the defendant from the Internal Revenue Service will be turned over to the Clerk of Court and applied toward any outstanding balance with regard to the outstanding financial obligations ordered by the Court.
5. Upon release from confinement, the defendant shall be placed on supervised release for a period of one (1) year. Within 72 hours of her release from custody, the defendant shall report to the U.S. Probation Office in the district to which she is released.
7. While on supervised release, the defendant shall not commit another federal, state or local crime, shall not possess a firearm or dangerous weapon, and shall comply with the standard conditions of supervision as adopted by this Court.
6. The defendant shall participate in a program of drug testing and/or substance abuse treatment under the guidance of the United States Probation Officer, as needed.
7. The Defendant shall be subject to financial disclosure throughout the period of supervised release and shall provide U.S. Probation with all requested financial documentation. The defendant shall report all household income to U.S. Probation as requested.
8. In the event restitution is not paid prior to the commencement of supervised release, the defendant shall make monthly payments at a rate not less than 25% of the defendant's gross monthly income, to be paid to the District Clerk of Court for disbursement to the victims in this case. Payment shall begin within 30 days of release from imprisonment.
9. The defendant shall pay a special assessment of \$25 per count to the Crime Victim Fund to the U.S. Clerk of Court, for a total of \$150.
10. The defendant shall notify the U.S. Attorney for this district within 30 days of any change of mailing or residence address along with any change of employment information that occurs while any portion of the financial obligation ordered by the Court remains outstanding and cooperate with their collection efforts.

See next page for Standard Conditions of Supervised Release

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Standard Conditions of Supervised Release

The defendant must report to the probation office in the district to which the defendant is released within 72 hours of release from the custody of the Bureau of Prisons.

The defendant shall not commit another federal, state, or local crime.

The defendant shall not unlawfully possess a controlled substance. The defendant shall refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance. The defendant shall submit to one drug test within 15 days of release from imprisonment and at least two periodic drug tests thereafter, as determined by the court.

[] The above drug testing condition is suspended based on the court's determination that the defendant poses a low risk of future substance abuse.

[] The defendant shall not possess a firearm, ammunition, destructive device, or any other dangerous weapon.

[] The defendant shall cooperate in the collection of DNA as directed by the probation officer.

[] The defendant shall register with the state sex offender registration agency in the state where the defendant resides, works, or is a student, as directed by the probation officer.

[] The defendant shall participate in an approved program for domestic violence.

If this judgment imposes a fine or a restitution, it is a condition of supervised release that the defendant pay in accordance with the Schedule of Payments sheet of this judgment.

Defendant must comply with the standard conditions that have been adopted by this court as well as with any additional conditions on the attached page.

STANDARD CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISION

- (1) The defendant shall not leave the judicial district without the permission of the court or probation officer;
- (2) The defendant shall report to the probation officer and shall submit a truthful and complete written report within the first five days of each month;
- (3) The defendant shall answer truthfully all inquiries by the probation office and follow the instructions of the probation officer;
- (4) The defendant shall support his or her dependents and meet other family responsibilities;
- (5) The defendant shall work regularly at a lawful occupation unless excused by the probation officer for schooling, training, or other acceptable reasons;
- (6) The defendant shall notify the probation officer at least ten days prior to any change in residence or employment;
- (7) The defendant shall refrain from excessive use of alcohol and shall not purchase, possess, use, distribute, or administer any controlled substance or any paraphernalia related to any controlled substances, except as prescribed by a physician;
- (8) The defendant shall not frequent places where controlled substances are illegally sold, used, distributed, or administered;
- (9) The defendant shall not associate with any persons engaged in criminal activity, and shall not associate with any person convicted of a felony unless granted permission to do so by the probation officer;
- (10) The defendant shall permit a probation officer to visit him or her at any time at home or elsewhere and shall permit confiscation of any contraband observed in plain view by the probation officer;
- (11) The defendant shall notify the probation officer with seventy-two hours of being arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer;
- (12) The defendant shall not enter into any agreement to act as an informer or a special agent of a law enforcement agency without the permission of the court;
- (13) As directed by the probation officer, the defendant shall notify third parties of risks that may be occasioned by the defendant's criminal record or personal history or characteristics and shall permit the probation officer to make such notifications and to confirm the defendant's compliance with such notification required.